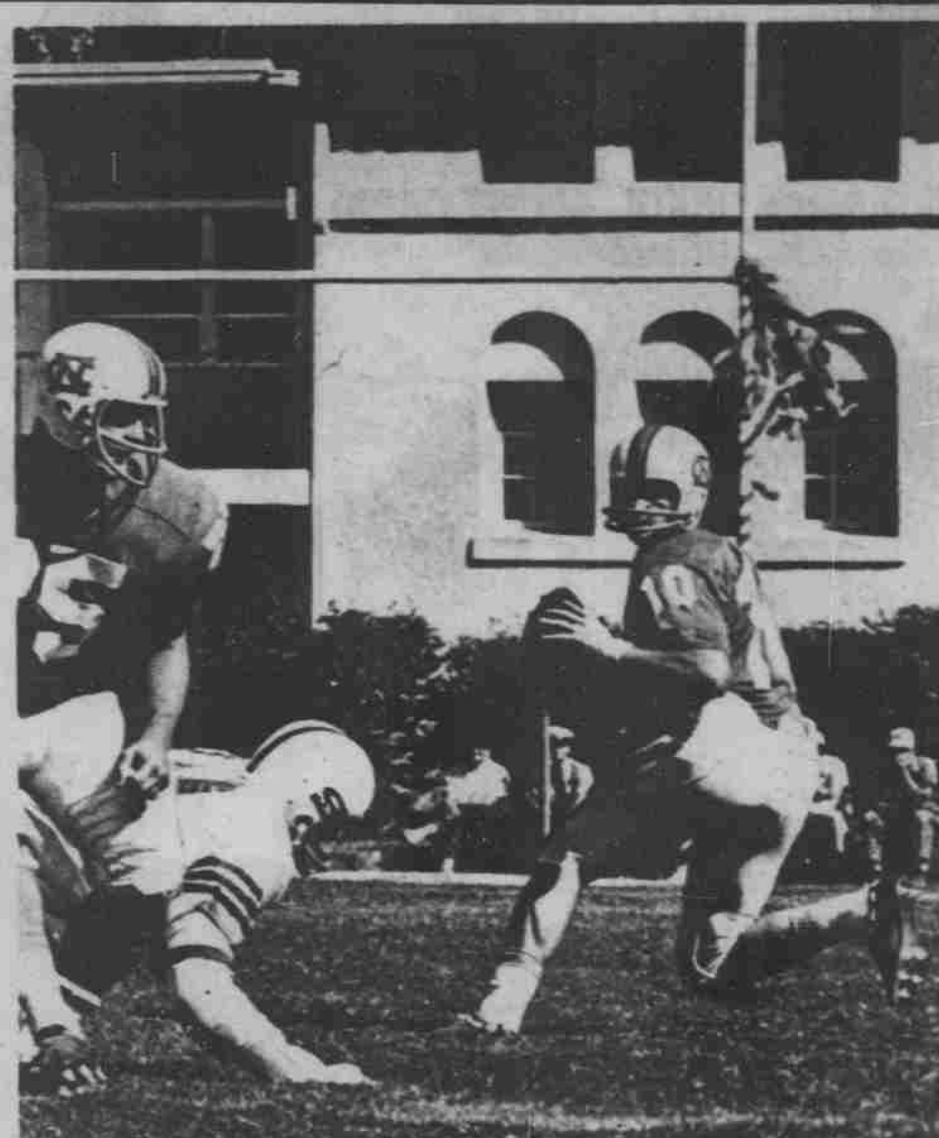


The Tar Heels huddle as quarterback Danny Talbott plots the next play against North Carolina State Saturday. The Tar Heels scored in the fourth quarter to win, 10-7.



The Wolfpack roamed up and down the field Saturday, but the Tar Heel defense was tough inside the 20 yard line. Here a State ballcarrier is stopped cold by Gene Link, Bo Wood and Mike Horvat.



Danny Talbott looks for a receiver against State. Danny was sharp in passing all afternoon, hitting 11 out of 15.

## The Sportscope

By Bill Hass

Purges are nothing new to Russia, Red China or African nations, but they are relatively unknown within the Atlantic Coast Conference. One happened at the University of Maryland last week, though, with interesting results.

New head coach Lou Saban took a firm grip on his axe and with four quick whacks lopped four seniors off his football squad. The move seemed to breathe new life into the Terrapins. Every man played as if the Wake Forest game might be his last and the Deacons were humbled, 34-7.

Regardless of the outcome of Saban's move, and it appears to have been successful, the whole business was handled rather badly. I'm not disputing the coach's right to kick the boys off his squad, but he could have been a little more diplomatic about it.

Purges have been known to work before. A few years ago Charley Bradshaw wielded the hatchet so vigorously at the University of Kentucky that only 29 boys were left on the team. The result was a horrible year for the Wildcats record-wise. The valuable experience they picked up developed some rugged teams after that year, however. Bradshaw now has over 70 men on his club.

There are differences between Bradshaw's move and Saban's move, however. Bradshaw did his housecleaning before the season started and singled out no one in particular. Saban waited until after the first game before deciding he didn't want Phil Petry, Whitey Marciniak, Ron Nalewak and Lorie McQueen around.

Saban could have demoted these boys to the third or fourth team, told them he wasn't going to play them, and given them the opportunity to leave the team quietly. Instead, he waited until the films of the Penn State game had been shown, then dismissed the players in front of the entire team.

Saban then proceeded to spill everything to the press, including a complete denunciation of the players. The result was personal embarrassment and humiliation for these four players. Whatever Saban's reasons for kicking them off the team, they did not deserve to be treated in such a rude, utterly tasteless manner.

To doubt that Lou Saban is a good football coach has never entered my mind. He coach the Buffalo Bills to two American Football League championships. His credentials are impressive. But he needs to remember that his players now are college men, not professionals. He didn't need to make a public example out of the boys involved.

As I said, I don't dispute Saban's right to kick the boys off the team. What I don't like is the way he did it. It was needlessly insulting to each player and a poor example of sportsmanship within the conference. I, for one, have lost a great deal of respect for Lou Saban.

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By Ernest H. Robl

## Murals Begin

By BILL HASS  
DTH Sports Writer

The intramural program gets underway with a full head of steam this week, with one event already started and others scheduled to begin soon. The football schedule started Monday, and full results will be carried in tomorrow's DTH.

This year a team will be allowed no forfeits. One forfeit will drop a team from league play and cost the sponsor a 10-point penalty.

The cake race will be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at Fetzer field. The one and one-half mile course goes around the track, loops by Navy field, runs to the Rams Head parking lot, then doubles back.

There are two divisions, open and novice. The open division must be entered by all boys who have worked out with the freshman cross-country team. The novice division is open to any student except UNC varsity letter winners in track or cross country.

To enter, each contestant must have practice twice before the race. Practicing must be done today and tomorrow between 4 and 6 p.m., and contestants must check in with the official to receive credit for practice.

The first three finishers in each division will each receive a choice of cakes as their prizes.

Qualifying is now going on through Friday for the University golf tournament. All students, UNC faculty and personnel are eligible to enter the tournament.

Finley golf course is the site for the qualifying. The top 32 qualifiers will be taken for the tournament. They will be broken into a championship flight of 16, a first flight of eight and a second flight of eight. Single elimination play will begin Tuesday, Oct. 4.

Entries for horseshoes are due in the Intramural Office by Wednesday afternoon. Competition will start on Monday.

## Autumn Baseball

By JOEY LEIGH  
DTH Sports Writer

If you had walked by the Carolina baseball field this past week, you might have thought to yourself, 'baseball in September.'

Major league baseball will be over in a few weeks, but the college season ended for UNC last June. The official season will not begin until the spring semester, so why baseball during cool football weather?

The Carolina varsity follows a set practice routine in the spring, but they have games to look forward to. What incentive do the players have during the off season practice sessions?

Fall baseball practice does serve a definite purpose for the coaches and the players. Clad in sweat clothes, helmets, cleats the players report to practice. Wind sprints, batting, throwing and fielding make a practice session.

Bill Haywood, assistant baseball coach, said, "Fall practice gives us a chance to get acquainted with the boys. Coach Rabb and I didn't see many freshman games. This gives us a chance to look at the sophomores as well as the freshmen. We can get an idea of our potential."

Harper Ruff, a right handed pitcher, said, "These three weeks let the coaches take a long look at the guys coming up. They take films of the players, study their moves, make comparisons and show their faults." About

the pitching prospects for the spring, Ruff stated, "We'll have all righties unless one of our two lefthanders (John Richards and John Everett) come through."

Many of the Carolina varsity played baseball in the Shenandoah Valley League in Virginia this summer. George McRae, L. E. Sawyer, Danny Talbott, John Yancey, Garry Hill, Skippy Hull, Harper Ruff, Charlie Thomas and Ronnie Lemonds were fine representatives from UNC in the Valley League.

Dallas Branch, another assistant coach, said, "We have time to look at last year's freshmen and also those who didn't get to play much for the varsity last year. We can experiment around, try players at different positions or change their style of play."

A possible keystone combination could be Bruce Bolick at shortstop and Charlie Thomas at second base. Bolick will be trying to 'beat out' Nolan Leonard, while Thomas has to put up with sophomore Mike Vannoy's contentions.

Bolick said that he did not play "a whole lot of baseball this summer," and "three weeks of practice helps me a lot."

Thomas, a starter last year as a sophomore, stated, "We work on play situations and fundamentals this fall. It gives everyone a chance to get acquainted. We don't have to start from scratch in the spring." Reflecting on the 1967 Tar Heels, Thomas said, "We want to go back to Omaha."

## Bob Orr

DTH Assistant Sports Editor



From all that can be gathered, Friday night's "Beat State" pep rally was an overwhelming success. Sophomore defensive tackle Tom Renedo best summed up the team's reaction, "After we saw the pep rally, we knew we had to win."

The cheerleaders and especially head man Dick Starnes deserve credit for the rally's success. This year's group is probably the most enthusiastic and dedicated that the University has seen in some years.

Also, hats off to the student body for their role Friday night and at the game. The team appreciated the support.

A tad of indignation was raised by a column last week calling fraternities "unpatriotic" at pep rallies. Several frats rose to the challenge. One group volunteered to do anything the cheerleaders

wanted, while yet another furnished cars for the rally. Rumors have it that one fraternity, due to the prodding of several members, closed their bar during the rally. That's real school spirit.

### CONGRATULATIONS

Congratulations to Tar Heel halfback Tom Lampman and his wife Ginny on the arrival of Tom III. This 9 pound, 11 ounce Tar Heel arrived at 10:21 Saturday morning prior to the State game. "Pop" Lampman admitted that he was a little nervous before the game. He didn't look too nervous when he snared a Danny Talbott pass for the winning TD.

Tar Heel basketball star Bob Lewis, is engaged to Bettejane Burrows of Washington, D. C. Dick Grubar and Joe Brown announce that they are available for dates, room 03 Avery.

## Would You Believe...?

The shortest subway in the world — one-third of a mile long — is in Istanbul, Turkey. Wooden hinges and straps of hide were used by early American colonists to hang their doors.

All freshly cut lumber is saturated with water inherited from the parent tree.

The name of the West African nation of Dahomey means "Belly of Dan," in honor of a 17th century king who ate his victims, says National Geographic.

The massive mountain-top fortress, La Citadelle, on the north coast of Haiti, took 13 years and the labor of 200,000 men to build.

Dromedaries were imported a century ago into Australia, where the one-hump camels now rove in wild herds.

The first balloon flight in America was made by Francois Blanchard on Jan. 9, 1793, at Woodbury, N. J. The flight lasted 45 minutes.

## National League Posts Results

Los Angeles	91	64	.587	—
Pittsburgh	90	66	.577	1 1/2
San Francisco	87	68	.561	4
Philadelphia	84	72	.538	7 1/2
Atlanta	83	73	.532	8 1/2
St. Louis	79	76	.510	12
Cincinnati	74	80	.481	16 1/2
Houston	68	88	.436	23 1/2
New York	64	92	.410	27 1/2
Chicago	58	99	.369	34

## Lacross

There will be a meeting for all varsity and freshman lacross candidates this Thursday evening at 7 o'clock in Woolen Gym's room 304.

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